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In re Application of: :Group Art Unit: 1644  
JOHN DUPRE :  
Serial No.: 08/737,446 :  
Filed: January 10, 1997 :  
For: TREATMENT OF DIABETES :

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RESPONSE

Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In reply to the non-final Office Action mailed April 16, 1999, Applicant hereby requests reconsideration of the above-referenced case and asks that the following amendments be made:

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(37 C.F.R. §1.8a)

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